

Level 2 Processor Board Technical Reference Manual

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General Description

This document describes the Level 2 Processor (or Alpha) board used to determine the Level 2 trigger decision. It is a 9U VME board that sits in the CDF Level 2 Trigger Crate. The design is based on the Digital AlphaPC164 motherboard with a 500 MHz Alpha CPU. The board has 4 PCI¹ devices added to the PC164 design which provide the interface to the rest of the trigger system. These interfaces are a VME interface, a Magic Bus to PCI DMA interface, a Magic Bus to PCI programmed I/O interface, and the interface to the Trigger Supervisor. A block diagram of the board function is shown in Figure ??

This document assumes that the reader is familiar with the PC164 board design, the Magic Bus specification, the Tundra Universe chip, the PCI specification and the CDF VIPA crate specification. Any conflict between this document and those specifications should be assumed to be an error by somebody.

There is no expressed or implied warranty that the Level 2 board will function as specified or that it will successfully trigger on signatures for Higgs, SUSY or other exotic particles.

PC164 Based Design

The Level 2 Processor board is based on the Digital PC164 design. The following devices are based on the PC164 design.

- The CPU is a 500 MHz Alpha 21164 chip which uses a 50 MHz oscillator.
- The 21172 chip set has the 21172-CA chip which provides the interface from the CPU to the PCI bus and the control and addressing for main memory and 4 21172-BA chips which provide the data path to main memory.
- There is a 4 MB Level 3 cache.
- A bank of 8 SIMM slots can provide from 16MB to 512MB of DRAM memory depending on whether 4 or 8 SIMMs are used. Using 8 SIMMs means that the 256 data path is used, leading to improved performance.
- A Xilinx XC17128 SROM contains the boot code that is loaded into the 21164 at power up. This SROM is installed in a socket. There is also a direct serial interface to a terminal line connector mounted on the front panel.
- The PCI bus is the main I/O bus for the board. It is a 64 bit wide bus running at 33 MHz. There are two 64 bit right angle connector expansion slots for 5V PCI cards.
- A CMD646 PCI-IDE interface chip supports 2 IDE connectors on the board for hard disk drives. There is a power connector and mounting holes for 1 hard drive to be directly mounted to the board. The hard drive should be less than 1 inch thick to stay within the available space in the crate.
- A PCI-ISA bridge (Intel 82378ZB) is connected to an SMC FDC37C935 combination controller chip which provides support for:
 1. A mouse and keyboard which are connected through 2 mini-din connectors on the front panel.
 2. A floppy drive which can be mounted directly to the board.
 3. A bi-directional parallel port on the front panel
 4. Two serial D-sub 9 connectors on the front panel

5. A time-of-year clock.

The ISA bus is used to access the 1MB of flash ROM which contains the system firmware. The ROM is soldered to the board and must be programmed in situ.

- Two AMD Mach210-15 PLDs are used on the board for PCI interrupt handling and PCI bus arbitration. These two chips are mounted in PLCC sockets.

VME Interface

Tundra's Universe II chip is used to provide the VME interface. The Universe chip supports up to 64 bit PCI and VME transfers including DMA transfers. The Universe II databook should be referred to for the use of the chip. The Universe II chip is connected to all 7 levels of VME interrupts. Interrupt line LINT(0) of the Universe chip is connected to pin 31 of the board's interrupt PAL. This PAL register corresponds to bit 2 of ISA address 804. See page 4-15 of the PC 164 TRM for details. The registers internal to the Universe chip must be appropriately set for use of the interrupts. A front panel reset button will reset the Universe and VME buses.

Description of Operation

This section gives an overview of the operation modes of the Universe chip. The Universe II user manual should be referenced for a detailed description. The Universe supports read and write transactions originating from the VME or PCI side. For transactions originating on the VME side, the Universe acts a VME slave. If the VME address falls inside the address range defined for one of the 8 VME slave images, the Universe becomes the PCI bus master and initiates the appropriate transaction on the PCI bus. To see if the VME slave image is being addressed, the upper 16 bits of the 32 bit VME address are compared to base and bound addresses for that slave image. This means the slave image window will be at least 64 Kbytes wide, and can be up to 4Gbytes wide. (Note that slave images 0 and 5 use the upper 20 bits and thus have 4 Kbyte resolution.) The corresponding 32 bit PCI address asserted combines the VME address with the address in the translation offset register. The lower 16 bits of the VME address are used for the lower 16 bits. The upper 16 bits are derived from a two's complement addition of the upper 16 VME bits with the 16 bits of the translation offset register. There are also control bits for each image which further define the transaction. The transaction can be **coupled** in which case the PCI transaction must finish for the Universe to respond to the VME side; or it is **posted** for a write, or **prefetched** for a read in which case an intermediate FIFO is used and the Universe can acknowledge on the VME side before the PCI transaction occurs. The Universe acts in much the same way if the transaction originates on the PCI side. Again there are 8 PCI target images whose registers define address windows and translation offsets. These images also have 64 Kbyte resolution with the exception of images 0 and 4 which have 4 Kbyte resolution. However, the PCI side does not support prefetched reads. Furthermore, if the PCI window is defined to be in PCI I/O space, posted writes are not allowed either, and all transactions are coupled. DMA transfers can be initiated from either side. ...

Register Configuration

PCI Configuration Registers for the Universe II are accessed on the Alpha by asserting IDSEL 16 during a configuration read or write. This is a typical PCI configuration space. The PCI configuration registers 0x10 (and 0x14) define the base address for the Universe's 4Kbyte register space.

The Universe's 4Kbyte register space has 3 logical sections. The lowest 256 bytes of the register map to the PCI configuration space. The upper ?? bytes map to the VME

Configuration and Status Registers. The middle part of the space is the Universe Device Specific Registers (UDSR). [0x10 and 0x14 both point to the same set of registers, but one does it in memory space and one in I/O space. Which is which depends on a power-up configuration.]

The **Universe Device Specific Registers(UDSR)** are used for configuring the PCI target and VME slave images, DMA transfers, interrupts and most other functionality of the Universe II chip. To configure a **PCI target image**, one must write to 4 (32 bit) registers. These registers set control bits, the base address of the image, the bounding address of the image and the translation offset image. For example

Magic Bus DMA Interface

The Magic Bus (MBUS) DMA interface provides a direct path for MBUS data to be placed into main memory. The PCI device is actually implemented in two separate programmable chips. A Xilinx XC4006E-2PQ160c is a (32 bit) PCI target (slave) which is accessed to write to the MBUS to PCI address translation buffers. These buffers are a set of four 2Kx8bit static RAM chips. A Cypress CY7C372-125JC CPLD is used as the PCI master to write the data from the input FIFO to main memory.

Description of DMA Operation

The Level 2 Interface boards send their data to the Alpha boards over the Magic Bus by addressing one of the DMA channels in the 32 bit Magic Bus Address space. The DMA addresses are reserved to be the lowest 256 addresses in MBUS address space. These correspond to MBUS Address bits 31:8 being set to zero. Each interface board will be assigned its DMA channel(s) to use during initialization. When any of the 256 DMA addresses are asserted on the MBUS, the Alpha board will clock the 128 bits of MBUS data and lowest 8 bits of the MBUS address into a 1K deep FIFO. The Alpha board will also respond with DDONE*, ending that MBUS transaction. The Alpha can keep receiving data into the FIFO independent of any action on the part of the rest of the DMA engine. If the FIFO fills up, no error is given, and subsequent data sent to the Alpha will be lost, although in practice this should never be a problem.

As soon as the FIFO is not empty, the CPLD will start sending data to main memory. The CPLD initially arbitrates to gain control of the PCI bus and starts sending data as soon as it can. The 8 bits of the DMA channel are used to address the 4 SRAM chips of the Translation Buffer (TB). The Translation Buffer asserts the corresponding 32 bit PCI address on the PCI bus. On the next PCI clock, the lower 64 MBUS data bits are asserted on the PCI bus, with the upper 64 bits sent on the following PCI clock. The DMA engine always performs a 64 bit data transfer, and always sends at least two consecutive data words following one address.

While sending the data, the address for the next data in the FIFO is compared with the previous address. If the address is the same, the data is sent as part of the same PCI burst transaction corresponding to the initial address that was sent.

The 21172-CA chip (which manages PCI access to main memory and the CPU) has a buffer that holds 8 64 bit words. When the buffer fills up, the 21172 asserts a STOP signal on the PCI bus. The DMA engine responds to the signal by ending the transaction, releasing the PCI bus and then getting the PCI bus back to finish the transaction. [Note: The buffer is only used for PCI bursts, that is the buffer is cleared before accepting data for another address. Also, the buffer is aligned on a 512 bit boundary, so will fill up sooner if address is not on a naturally aligned 512 bit boundary.]

While the data is being sent, the PCI address in the Translation Buffer is incremented to point to the next PCI address for that DMA channel. The PCI address is incremented by

16 bytes for each MBWORD sent since each MBWORD is 16 bytes long. It should also be noted that only a 16 bit Adder is used to increment the PCI address bits (18:3) in the TB. As a result the upper 13 bits are unchanged. That means that for a given event, each DMA channel cannot write past a 512K byte boundary. Therefore the starting address used to configure the TB should not be too close to that boundary.

When all the data is received for a given event, the Translation Buffer can be read to find the ending PCI address written into the Translation Buffer. The difference between the initial and final address in the Translation Buffer indicates the number of bytes that were transferred. The Translation Buffer must then be reconfigured to setup the addresses for the next event.

By turning off the appropriate bit in PCI configuration space, the DMA engine will not automatically try to send data from the FIFO to main memory. In that case the FIFO would still receive data and eventually fill up.

Configuration of system

The FPGA is configured by writing to the appropriate configuration registers according to the PCI specification. The FPGA responds to configuration reads and writes when IDSEL 20 is driven. The CPLD is not configured. Table xx lists the values of the PCI configuration space. (The FPGA is not fully PCI compliant, and so its base memory address is not automatically configured by the system software. In that case the base memory address must be written into configuration address 0x10. That is the base memory address used for the Translation Buffer.) In order to set up the DMA engine as a PCI master, bit 2 for address 0x04 must be set to 1. Bit 1 must be set to 1 to enable writes to the Translation Buffer. Simply writing 7 to address 0x04 will accomplish both of those. At start up the device will be configured with the enable bits set. To turn off the DMA engine, a configuration write can turn off bit 2 for address 0x04.

31	16	15	0	Address (hex)	Description
0x0CDF		0x0DEA		00h	Device ID Vendor ID
0000 0100 0000 0000		0000 0000 1000 0XXX		04h	Status Command
0x0601		0x3748		08h	Class Code Revision ID
0xXXXX		0x0000		10h	Base Address Register
0x0000		0x01XX		3Ch ??	Interrupt
0x0000		0x0000		All others 14h-38h	Undefined Addresses

In order to configure the Translation Buffer, the CPU must write the main memory address for each DMA channel into the TB. The TB buffer holds 256 addresses which are accessed by the CPU by writing to the FPGA base memory address + 4(times)DMA number. The DMA number is 0 to 255 and directly corresponds to the corresponding MBUS address. The PCI address is 4 times that since we are accessing 32 bits of data and a PCI memory transaction addresses at the byte level. For example, for base memory address 0x02000000 the TB buffers would be addressed by writing to 0x02000000, 0x02000004, 0x02000008, 0x0200000C etc... The data written to the TB is the main memory address to which data will be sent. The main memory address used must map to a part of the main memory's DMA address space. The location and size of the window is set by the FLASHROM firmware by writing to the appropriate register in the 21172-CA chip. For the EB164 there is a 1 MB DMA window starting at PCI address 0x100000. The location and size of the window are defined in the eb164.h file and the executed code is in eb164_io.c.

Note: As mentioned above, the TB buffer can only be incremented by the Adder up to a 512K byte boundary. As a result, the memory address used should not be near the upper part of a 512K boundary. It should also be noted that since the cache is 4MB, it is preferable to have all the data (and program) stored in a contiguous 4MB memory space.

Magic Bus Programmed I/O

The Magic Bus Programmed I/O chip (MAGICFPGA) is a bridge between the PCI and Magic Buses which allows reads or writes from one address space to the other. The PCI-MBUS transaction can originate from either side and can be either a read or a write. This allows the CPU to directly access the Magic Bus memory space or for a board on the Magic Bus to write or read into PCI memory space. The FPGA supports up to 64 bit PCI data transfers but only 32 bit addressing, and accesses all 128 bits of MBUS data. This device is implemented in a Xilinx XC4036EX-2-PG411C.

Description of Operation

PCI Transactions

Addressing in PCI memory address space is accomplished by using the lines AD(31:2) to address a DWORD (4 bytes). The MAGICFPGA must convert this addressing scheme to the MBUS address, where the MBUS address lines (31:0) address a single 128 bit MBWORD (16 bytes). When the CPU initiates a read or write to the MBUS, it can choose one of two PCI address windows to address the MAGICFPGA. These are called Window A and Window B. Each of them is a 64K space in PCI memory address space and their base PCI address is set in the PCI configuration register as described below. Both windows still access the same MBUS address space which is fixed by the PCI Translation Base. The purpose of having separate windows is described in detail later on.

The upper 16 bits of the PCI Translation Base gives the upper 16 bits for converting a PCI address to a MBUS address. Since 16 bits are used for the translation, that means only 64K of contiguous MBUS address space can be addressed. In order to address a MBUS address that is not within 64K of the PCI Translation Base address, the PCI Translation Base register would have to be updated before attempting to read/write to that MBUS address. Figure xx illustrates how a PCI address is converted to a MBUS address.

When the PCI side initiates a read or a write to the MBUS, the FPGA will try to gain control of the MBUS and then perform the transaction. The PCI and MBUS transactions are coupled so that the PCI transaction doesn't end until the MBUS transaction is finished. If the FPGA cannot gain control of the MBUS within 16

PCI cycles, it will assert STOP on the PCI bus. This will signal the 21172 to retry the transaction, so no software retry will be necessary. If the FPGA is simultaneously addressed from both the MBUS and PCI sides, the transaction originating on the MBUS will take precedence and the PCI transaction will fail. [Note: If the FPGA gains control of the MBUS, but then the MBUS transaction hangs, that will hang the PCI bus indefinitely.]

The two PCI windows on the MAGICFPGA are accessed separately by two different PCI addresses. However, their purpose is not to address separate MBUS addresses but to allow for two different types of PCI transactions. PCI transactions can occur as 32 bit or 64 bit, can be burst or non-burst, and can be from sparse or dense memory space. Having the two windows allows some flexibility in having different types of transactions.

The basic difference in the two windows is that Window A is used for PCI data transactions of less than 128 bits, while Window B always requires a PCI transfer of 128 bits. In either case, the Magic Bus transaction is a full 128 bits, but the data read or written may not all be meaningful for Window A. The distinction between Window A and Window B is related to the distinction between PCI sparse memory space and PCI dense memory space.

When writing to Window A, the MBUS transaction starts when the last PCI data transfer occurs. (The last data transfer is indicated by the PCI protocol.) The data can be just 32 bits or up to 128 bits in a burst transaction, although the burst should not go past 128 bits. Window A should be mapped in the PC164's PCI sparse memory space which is defined to be in the physical address range 80.0000.0000 to 85.7FFF.FFFF. See the PC 164 TRM for details of the address space.

Window B only initiates a MBUS transaction after a 128 bit transfer has occurred, which can be done via a burst of 4 32 bit transfers or a burst of 2 64 bit transfers. Window B should be mapped to the dense memory space which is defined to be in the physical address range 86.0000.0000 to 86.FFFF.FFFF. The software accessing Window B must always perform a 128 bit transaction, in order for the MBUS transaction to occur. The addresses must also be aligned on a 128 bit boundary.

A read into either Window A or Window B will trigger a 128 bit read on the Magic Bus. The FPGA can support a burst read of up to 128 bits using either 32 or 64 bit transfers. The FPGA returns the lowest 32(64) bits on the initial read and continues to send the upper bits if it is a burst transaction.

Magic Bus Transactions

A transaction originates on the MBUS side when an address asserted on the MBUS falls between the MBUS Upper Memory Address and the MBUS Lower Memory Address. These addresses must be configured in a register on the FPGA as described below. This causes the FPGA to ask for control of the PCI bus and it will remain in that state until control is given. After receiving control, it initiates a 64 bit PCI transaction and will perform two 64 bit reads/writes in a PCI burst transaction. The FPGA will not end the MBUS transaction with the DDONE* signal until the PCI transaction is finished.

The MBUS Upper Memory Address and MBUS Lower Memory Address define the window in MBUS address space for which the Alpha board will respond to a posted MBUS address. Only the upper 16 bits are used for the comparison so the smallest window defined is 64K. The MBUS Translation Base defines the base PCI address used for converting a MBUS address to a PCI address. In this

case the upper 12 bits (31:20) define the base PCI address. Therefore only 1 Mbyte of contiguous PCI memory space can be addressed. Figure xx illustrates how a MBUS address is converted to a PCI address.

The FPGA requires the PCI target to handle 64 bit transfers and does not check if the 64 bit transfer is not allowed. That means it cannot be used to address the two other FPGAs on the Alpha board as those only handle 32 bit transfers. It also currently does not respond to the PCI STOP signal that might be returned by the target. This is a potential bug and will be fixed in an updated design.

Currently the state machines that handle MBUS transactions are synchronized to the PCI clock. This means a 30ns delay between state transitions. Although this simplifies the design, it results in a performance penalty. Once the prototype design is working on the Alpha board, the FPGA will be changed so that the MBUS state machines are asynchronous to improve MBUS performance.

Configuration

The MAGICFPGA is configured by writing to the appropriate configuration registers according to the PCI specification. The MAGICFPGA responds to configuration reads and writes when IDSEL 21 is driven.

The MAGICFPGA asks for 3 separate 16 bit (64 K) memory address spaces. The first is for on chip registers which hold the PCI to MBUS translation address, as well as the MBUS address space reserved for the chip. The other two address spaces are PCI addresses defining Window A and Window B.

Table xx lists the values of the PCI configuration space. Bits indicated by “X” must be written to configure the device. The last 3 bits of address 04h should be written as 110 to enable memory reads/writes to the device as well as PCI bus mastership.

In principle, the PCI memory addresses should be set by the plug-n-play PCI protocol. In that case user software would simply read these configuration registers to know what PCI addresses to use for that device. However, the configuration registers can be changed at any time by user software. In that case the software should be careful to not configure the device with a PCI address used by another device on the board.

31	16	15	0	Address (hex)	Description
0x2CDF		0x2DEA		00h	Device ID Vendor ID

0000 0100 0000 0000	0000 0000 1000 0XXX	04h	Status	Command
0x0701	0x3748	08h	Class Code	Revision ID
0xXXXX	0x0000	10h	Base Address Registers	
0xXXXX (Window A)	0x0000	14h		
0xXXXX (Window B)	0x0000	18h		
0x0000	0x01XX	3Ch		Interrupt
0x0000	0x0000	All others	Undefined Addresses	

The base memory address at configuration address 10h defines the base memory address for the Magic Bus configuration or “setup” space. These “configuration” registers are not in PCI configuration space, but are accessed through a normal PCI memory transaction. These registers hold the mapping from PCI to MBUS address space and vice versa. Table xx describes the memory location of each of the registers. The address is the address given in the table, plus the base memory address as defined in the PCI configuration register 10h. These registers must be configured by user code for proper function of the MAGICFPGA with the Magic Bus.

Register Description	Address (hex)
PCI Translation Base	00h
MBUS Upper Memory Address	04h
MBUS Lower Memory Address	08h
MBUS Translation Base	0Ch
MBUS Mask (not used)	10h

PCI configuration registers 14h and 18h must be configured with the PCI address for Window A and Window B.

TSI Interface

The TSI interface is implemented in a Xilinx XC4010e-2PQ208c FPGA (TSIFPGA). This chip only functions as a PCI slave and is used to receive and send information to the rest of the trigger system. This includes the CDF trigger signals from the P2 backplane, as well as direct communication with the Global Level 2 board through a front panel connector. It is also used for monitoring the status lines of the Magic Bus. Some of the described features of the TSIFPGA are specific to the CDF version.

Description of Operation

Because the device is a PCI slave, the only PCI operations are reads and writes to registers within the FPGA. Once the device has been configured with its base PCI memory address, one reads or writes to specific registers using the base address+local address. This device only supports 32 bit PCI transactions.

The device has one of its pins connected to the PCI interrupt PAL at pin 9. With the interrupt PAL code, this corresponds to bit 2 of ISA address 805. See page 4-15 of the PC164 Technical Reference Manual for details. Currently the FPGA interrupt pin is simply pulled high, although it could easily be controlled by a register bit.

CDF Trigger Signals

The TSIFPGA is connected to 37 CDF trigger signals on the P2 backplane.

One of these is the CDF_CLK signal which gives the time when the other signals are valid. The CDF clock signal is actually a differential PECL signal on the backplane and is converted on board to a single TTL level clock signal. This signal is used to clock the registers whose inputs are the signals directly from the backplane. Another CDF signal is CDF_ERROR* which is an output from the FPGA. This output drives an open collector driver connected to the corresponding P2 line. All of the other 35 signals are directly connected to the P2 backplane.

The CDF_CLK signal arrives every 132 ns and the values of the registers in the FPGA are updated at that time. There are two 32 bit registers which hold the updated values of the CDF trigger lines. There are also a set of “processed” data registers. One of these is a 4 deep FIFO which is written to whenever there is a Level 1 accept. This FIFO holds the corresponding buffer bits for that L1A. It is read by the CPU after a L2 decision to know that a L1A has occurred, and what buffer will have trigger data loaded. Similar registers can be constructed for L2 accepts, Calibration bits and Halt, Recover, Run sequences. Writing to the appropriate bit in a register will assert CDF_ERROR* on the backplane.

Communication with Global Level 2

The communication with the Global Level 2 board in the TSI crate is through a 68 pin front panel connector. We send 16 differential LVDS signals and receive 16 signals of differential LVDS. On board we have 32 TTL signals connected to the TSIFPGA. The value of all 32 bits can be read from a single PCI register. Writing to the lower 16 bits of that register will set the values of the 16 output signals which are then directly sent to the TTL to LVDS converters. It is not possible to write into the upper 16 register bits which hold the value of the input lines.

Monitoring of Magic Bus Status Lines

The TSIFPGA also monitors the Magic Bus status lines. These are the MOD_DONE(18:0), EV_LOADED(4:0), and MB_AP_FIFO_EMPTY lines. Reading the appropriate register directly reads the value of these signals from the backplane. The empty status of the on board DMA FIFO is also read from this register. Writing to another register will drive the START_LOAD, BUFFER(1:0), MBRESET, and AP_FIFO_EMPTY lines. This AP_FIFO_EMPTY line is connected to an open collector driver. The other 4 lines are connected to a transceiver. Only one of the Alpha boards will be the Magic Bus crate master and drive these lines. Writing a 1 to the CRATE_MAS_DIR bit will appropriately set the transceiver direction to drive these lines on the backplane. The other boards should then have a 0 written to that register bit, in which case the value of these lines can be read.

Configuration Registers

The TSIFPGA is configured by writing to the appropriate configuration registers according to the PCI specification. The TSIFPGA responds to configuration reads and writes when IDSEL 23 is driven.

The TSIFPGA asks for a 16 bit (64 K) memory address space. Table xx lists the values of the PCI configuration space. Bits indicated by “X” must be written to configure the device.

The last 3 bits of address 04h should be written as 010 to enable memory reads/writes to the device. Writing to the upper 16 bits of 10h specifies the base memory address. In principle, that address should be set by the plug-n-play PCI protocol.

31	16	15	0	Address (hex)	Description
0x2CDF		0x2DEA		00h	Device ID Vendor ID
0000 0100 0000 0000		0000 0000 1000 0XXX		04h	Status Command
0x0701		0x3748		08h	Class Code Revision ID
0xXXXX		0x0000		10h	Base Address Register
0x0000		0x01XX		3Ch	Interrupt
0x0000		0x0000		All others 14h-38h	Undefined Addresses

Memory Registers

The memory location of the TSIFPGA registers and the signals accessed by each bit are shown in Table xx. Only addresses 00h, the lower 8 bits of address 10h and the lower 16 bits of address 14h can be written to. All of the addresses can be read from.

Currently the “processed” CDF data registers are not implemented.

Address	Bits	Description
00h	31:0	Generic read/write register
04h	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 13:10 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21:23 24 25 26	CDF Trigger Signals L1A* L1R* L2B0* L2B1* GLIVE* L1W1* L1W2* L2DB0* L2DB1* L2A_EN* EVID(3:0) L2A* L2R* STOP* HALT* RECOVER* TEST* RUN* RL(2:0) BC* B0* ABORT*
08H	0 1:7 15:8 23:16 31:24	CDF Trigger Signals CALEN* CALIB(6:0) 0x01 (constant) 0x01 (constant) 0x01 (constant)
0Ch	18:0 19 20 24:21 31:25	MOD_DONE(18:0) FIFO_EF* MB_AP_FIFO_EMPTY EV_LOADED(3:0) 0x01 (constant)
10h	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 31:8	CDF_ERROR* AP_FIFO_EMPTY CRATE_MAS_DIR (undefined) BUFFER(1) BUFFER(0) START_LOAD MBRESET (constant)
14h	15:0 31:16	TSI_OUT(15:0) TSI_IN(31:15)

PCI Interrupts

There are also 4 interrupt lines from each of the PCI expansion connectors connected to the interrupt PAL, as well as interrupts from the SIO and IDE drivers. The Universe interrupt is

masked/read at ISA address 804- bit 2. The TSIFPGA interrupt is masked/read at ISA address 805-bit 2. The other interrupts are as described in section 4.5 of the PC164 TRM. PCI interrupts are handled by the board's Interrupt PAL chip which has all of the PCI device's interrupts going to it. This PAL then sends out one general PCI interrupt to the CPU. To find out which device caused the interrupt, one has to read a register on the PAL chip, which is located in ISA address space. There is one interrupt line from the Universe chip and one from TSIFPGA that are connected to the interrupt PAL.

Resets

PCI Devices

We list each of the PCI devices, their IDSEL line, and the 21164 physical address for their configuration space. Compare this to Table B-9 on page B-14 in the PC 164 TRM. I presume the Physical Address will have to be set in the Firmware.

PCI Device	IDSEL line	Physical Address
Universe	16	87.0005.0000
PCI slot 0	17	87.0006.0000
PCI slot 1	18	87.0007.0000
SIO (ISA) bridge	19	87.0008.0000
DMA FPGA	20	87.0009.0000
Magic FPGA	21	87.000A.0000
IDE controller (Hard Drive)	22	87.000B.0000
TSI FPGA	23	87.000C.0000

Power Requirements

We estimate the Alpha board requires the following voltages and currents from the crate power supply:

- +5 V 20 A from J1 and J2
- +3.3 V 10 A from J1
- +12 V 2 A from J1
- -12 V 1 A from J1
- -5.2 V 1 A from J2 (Vw pins)

2.5 V for the Alpha chip is generated on board using 5 V for the power source.

Jumper Configuration

The jumpers on the Alpha board are the same as those on the PC164 board design. This section describes how the jumpers should be set. The PC164 TRM can be referenced for further details.

- J1 is **IN** when using 4 SIMMs for a 128 bit data bus and is **OUT** when using 8 SIMMs and the 256 bit data bus.
- J31 is used to enable/disable the Flash ROM being updated. Pins 2 and 3 should be connected to enable writing or pins 1 and 2 should be connected to disable writing.
- J30 is used to configure various cpu related quantities that are read at boot time. IRQ0-3 defines the ratio of the CPU clock frequency to the system (PCI) frequency. (I'm not sure where this is read or used in the srom code, but $500/15 = 33.3$) CF0-7 can be **HARD_WIRED** in the srom code which is likely what will be done for some of the parameters. Cache size is currently set to be configured as 2Mbytes which is less than the 4Mbytes of actual cache. Similarly the cache speed is set at 9ns, whereas the actual chips are 7.5ns. These numbers will need to be changed in the srom code.

Jumper pins	Name	Purpose	Default
1-2	IRQ3	System clock freq.	Out
3-4	IRQ2	System clock freq.	Out
5-6	IRQ1	System clock freq.	Out
7-8	IRQ0	System clock freq.	Out
9-10	CF0	Reserved	
11-12	CF1	Cache size	Out
13-14	CF2	Cache size	In

15-16	CF3	Reserved	
17-18	CF4	Cache speed	Out
19-20	CF5	Cache speed	Out
21-22	CF6	Mini-debugger	Out
23-24	CF7	Boot option	Out
25-26		Not Used	